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Monthly Report on Status of Projects Previously Voted But Not Awarded

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MONTHLY REPORT ON STATUS OF PROJECTS PREVIOUSLY VOTED BUT NOT AWARDED

There are 11 projects worth \$125.9 million included in the current inventory of projects not awarded within six months of a Commission allocation. Since the last report, three projects were awarded and nine new projects have been added.

SUMMARY

Number of	Value in		
Projects	Millions	Cause of Delay	<u>Projects</u>
2	3.8	Bids rejected	06-VAR-VAR, 09-INY
3	52.5	FTIP delay	08-SBD-15, 07-LA-101,
			08-SBD-40
1	33.1	Combining projects for construction	03-SAC-50
1	.9	Conflict with another project	08-RIV-60
1	20.6	Delay in obtaining permits	04-SON-12
2	9.8	Errors in PS&E package	07-LA-5, 08-SBD-15
1	5.2	Route Adoption issue	10-MER-99
11	\$125.9	Total	

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PROJECT DETAILS

• Project #1 – 03-SAC-50

In March 2000, funds were allocated for one SHOPP and three STIP projects on Route 50 in Sacramento County which will be built as one project. Problems with railroad agreements and final right of way certification delayed advertisement. The project was advertised on December 4, 2000 with bid opening on January 30, 2001. The Department is reviewing the bids.

Details				Allocation	
Project EA	County	Rte	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
03-1A8501	SAC	50	SHOPP	03/00	\$ 5,900
03-372701	SAC	50	STIP	03/00	\$ 5,987
03-441631	SAC	50	STIP	03/00	\$20,960
03-441641	SAC	50	STIP	03/00	\$ 263
03-4416U1					\$33,110

• Project #2 - 06-VAR-VAR

In March 2000, funds were allocated for a traffic monitoring and closed circuit television systems project on various routes across five counties (Kern, Kings, Tulare, Fresno, and Madera). Bids were opened on June 14, 2000, but all the bids were rejected when an error, which could have resulted in substantial claims, was discovered in the trenching specification for the electrical lines. The project was modified, readvertised on December 26, 2000, and bids were opened on January 23, 2001. The Department expects the project to be awarded in the normal time frame.

Details		Allocation			
Project EA	County	<u>Rte</u>	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
06-333561	VAR	VAR	SHOPP	03/00	\$1,672

New Projects added since the last report

• Project #3 - 09-INY

In March 2000, funds were allocated for a project to upgrade the Shoshone Maintenance Station near Shoshane in Inyo County. Bids were opened on June 6, 2000, and the single bid was rejected as being significantly over the estimate. The project was modified, and before readvertisement on October 16, 2000, potential bidders were contacted to expand the bidding pool. Although there were five bidders when the bids were opened on November 14, 2000, the low bid was again substantially over available funds. The Department is requesting a supplemental vote of funds in order to award the contract.

Details				Allocation	
Project EA	County	Rte	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
09-265201	INY		SHOPP	3/00	2,125

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• Project #4 – 04-SON-12

In June 2000, funds were allocated to widen a four-lane freeway to a six-lane freeway with an auxiliary lane and thrie beam median barrier project on Route 12 in Sonoma County. Obtaining the water quality permit for the extensive wetland mitigation took longer than expected, thus delaying the advertisement. Bids were opened on January 31, 2001 and the department expects the project to be awarded in the normal time frame.

Details				Allocation	
Project EA	County	<u>Rte</u>	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
04-2724U1	SON	12	STIP and	06/00	\$20,595
			SHOPP		

• Project #5 – 07-LA-5

In June 2000, funds were allocated for a project to restore the embankment on Route 5 near Castaic in Los Angeles County. Bid opening was delayed to correct a design error in plans and specifications. Bids were opened on January 11, 2000 and the project should be awarded in the normal time frame.

Details				Allocation	
Project EA	County	<u>Rte</u>	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
07-1X1201	LA	05	SHOPP	06/00	\$996

• Project #6 – 07-LA-101

In June 2000, funds were allocated for a median barrier project on Route 101 in Los Angeles County. After a delay in modifying the original Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP), the project was advertised on November 27, 2000. The bid opening was postponed until April 12, 2001 to avoid a conflict with an on-going construction project within the project limits which should clear by Spring.

Details		Allocation			
Project EA	County	<u>Rte</u>	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
07-135601	LA	101	SHOPP	06/00	\$11,700

• Project #7 – 08-RIV-60

In June 2000, funds were allocated for a replacement highway planting and irrigation system project on Route 60. The project was advertised on August 14, 2000 with a bid opening scheduled for October 5, 2000. With a delay in the scheduled completion of the mainline construction project, the bid opening has been put on hold.

Details		Allocation			
Project EA	County	Rte	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
08-463231	RIV	60	STIP	06/00	\$898

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• Project #8 – 08-SBD-15

In June 2000, federal demonstration funds were allocated for a lane addition project on Route 15 in San Bernardino County. Advertisement has been delayed to correct discrepancies in the specifications. It is expected the project will be ready for advertisement in April.

Details				Allocation	
Project EA	County	<u>Rte</u>	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
08-350721	SBD	15	DEMO	02/00	\$8,771

• Project #9 – 08-SBD-40

In June 2000, funds were allocated for a highway reconstruction project on Route 40 in San Bernardino County. There was a delay in modifying the original FTIP. The project was advertised on November 27, 2000 with a scheduled bid opening of January 25, 2001. After numerous inquiries from contractors about a source of aggregate, bid opening is being delayed to adjust the specifications. A new bid opening will be established by the end of February.

Details				Allocation	
Project EA	County	<u>Rte</u>	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
08-377801	SBD	40	SHOPP	06/00	\$30,755

• Project #10 – 08-SBD-15

In June 2000, funds were allocated for a bridge replacement project on Route 15 in San Bernardino County. There was a delay in modifying the original FTIP. The project was advertised on December 4, 2000. Bids were opened on February 1, 2000 and the project should be awarded in the normal time frame.

Details		Allocation			
Project EA	County	Rte	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
08-406801	SBD	15	SHOPP	06/00	\$10,041

• Project #11 – 10-MER-99

In June 2000, funds were allocated for a ramp realignment and interchange improvements project on Routes 59, 99 and 140 in Merced County. The advertisement was delayed to revise the route adoptions for Routes 59 and 140 at this location. The project was advertised on January 22, 2001 with bid opening scheduled for February 27, 2001.

Details				Allocation	
Project EA	County	<u>Rte</u>	Program	<u>Date</u>	\$1,000's
10-482301	MER	99	SHOPP	06/00	\$5,222